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WANTED.

GENTLEMAN Wants Board and Residence, from 1st April, in Private Family; Upper Level preferred. Apply—A.B.C., Care of "Daily Press" Office, Hongkong, 2nd March, 1912. [394]

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- Hongkong Ice Co., Ltd.
- Pacific Island Annexed.
- Hongkong Chamber of Commerce.
- Hongkong Rifle League.
- Correspondence:—
- The Searching of "The Kiang Tung."
- Hongkong Legislative Council.
- Sensational Affair at a Hongkong Wharf.
- Sanitary Board.
- Peking Palace Treasures.
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- Sale of Peat.
- The Peas Preservation Ordinance.
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KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB. THE FOURTH ANNUAL DINNER will be held at the KING EDWARD HOTEL TO-NIGHT (SATURDAY), 2nd March, at 8 P.M. Chair will be taken by the President, DR. CHAS. FORBETH. Hongkong, 29th February, 1912. [380]

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F. WESTON, NAVAL STORE OFFICER, H.M. NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, 28th February, 1912. [368]

NOTICES OF FIRMS

NOTICE.

WE HAVE This Day authorized Mr. WALTER SIEGLER to Sign our Firm per Procuration. REISS & Co. Hongkong, 1st March, 1912. [385]

NOTICE.

WE HAVE This Day authorized Mr. FRANCIS BEVINGTON to Sign our Firm per Procuration. BRADLEY & Co. Hongkong, 1st March, 1912. [386]

COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

MR. EDWIN LESTER GILBERT ARNOLD has been appointed Acting Local Manager of the above Company in Hongkong from This Date until further notice. By Order, P. TESTER, Local Manager. Hongkong, 1st March, 1912. [397]

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Further details will be published in due course. Hongkong, 15th February, 1912. [392]

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CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FORTY-THIRD MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 3, Queen's Road, Central, Victoria, on THURSDAY, the 7th MARCH, 1912, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1911. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 23rd February to 7th March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, H. F. HICKMAN, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 16th February, 1912. [351]

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FORTY-THIRD ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Undersecretary at 12 o'clock Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th MARCH, 1912. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 13th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 26th February, 1912. [378]

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AUCTIONS

G. R. PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS and CONDITIONS of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of March, 1912, at 3 P.M., at the Office of the PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, by Order of His Excellency the GOVERNOR, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Mac Lane Street, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a CROWN RENT to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years. [369]

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.		Boundary Measurements.		Contents		Annual Rent	
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1	1007	34½	6½	65¼	56	1,174	19,935

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OFFICES on Third Floor of Hotel Mansions. Apply to—HENRY HUMPHREYS, Alexandra Buildings. Hongkong, 1st March, 1912. [388]

TO BE LET.

On or about 1st March, 1912. SHOPS and OFFICE, in Alexandra Buildings, adjoining the Hongkong Dispensary, at present occupied by Messrs. Wm. Powell, Ltd. A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., Alexandra Buildings. Hongkong, 29th August, 1911. [123]

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OFFICES in King's Building. Apply to—THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LD. Hongkong, 1st March, 1912. [120]

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A STRANGE MONSTROSITY.
Of oxycephaly, or "steep-head," an American physician, Dr. H. M. Fletcher, reports seven cases. This is a singular malformation, in which the skull towers to a great height, and there is usually a protruding of the eyeballs, on account of shallow orbits, and defective vision, from changes of the optic nerve. Curious dimplings shown in X-ray pictures of the cranial bones are characteristic of the condition.

A GREAT INDUCTION MACHINE.
An immense electrical machine, of the Wimshurst influence or induction type, has been described to the Paris Academy by P. Villard and H. Abraham. It has 20 ebonite discs 28 inches in diameter, which are usually rotated at 1,200 to 1,400 revolutions per minute, giving a peripheral velocity of nearly two miles a minute. The normal voltage of 250,000 can be increased to 300,000; the maximum spark-length is 24 inches. The machine has already shown new phenomena.

SELF-LUMINOUS CLOUDS.
The idea is gaining ground that the earth is surrounded by a permanent aurora, of variable luminosity, and is confirmed by the fact that the aurora spectrum is nearly always to be detected on a clear moonless night. More than a century ago an abnormal brightness of the sky was noticed, the diminution toward the zenith showing that it could not be due to diffused starlight. In a recent investigation of "earthlight" by Dr. L. Vintema, a Dutch astronomer, a notable luminosity was sometimes seen on cloudy and even on foggy nights, and measurements showed that on some nights a square-degree of sky near the zenith would have a total illumination equal to one-twelfth to one-sixth of that of a first magnitude star, the portion of the illumination due to diffused starlight being estimated at only one-fiftieth of that of the star. At the Yerkes Observatory, Prof. E. E. Barnard has found the night light to be sufficient at times for reading the time by an ordinary watch. In the last few months he has discovered that this light is in part due to slowly drifting streaks of luminous haze, which may be 50 degrees or more long and 3 degrees or more wide, and is sometimes as bright as the average Milky Way. Watched until after dawn, some streaks became ordinary haze or lofty clouds.

THE MYSTERY OF SLEEP.
It is suggested that in explaining sleep effects have been mistaken for causes. Surmounting present knowledge, R. Legendre, in a lecture before a Paris institution, has rejected the theories that the cause is a failure of the blood-supply of the brain, an intoxication by carbonic acid, and the presence of narcotic substances in the blood, and has favoured the view of Prof. Claude Bernard of Geneva that sleep is an inherited instinct that brings rest just before and to avoid exhaustion. Insomnia, on the other hand, is a poisoning. This has been transmitted by inoculations with cerebro-spinal fluid from affected persons, but the toxic substance itself is yet to be discovered.

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LEPROSY CARRIED BY INSECTS.
That some particular insect spreads leprosy, as the anopheles mosquito carries malaria and the tsetse fly distributes sleeping sickness, is the conclusion of Drs. Sand and Lang, British medical officers. There is evidence that the disease is transported by an insect that retains infection for 16 days, but whether there are other means of conveying the germs from man to man is not yet determined. It is pointed out that this theory, if confirmed, may show that the immunity of nurses and doctors in leprosy hospitals is due to methods of cleanliness.

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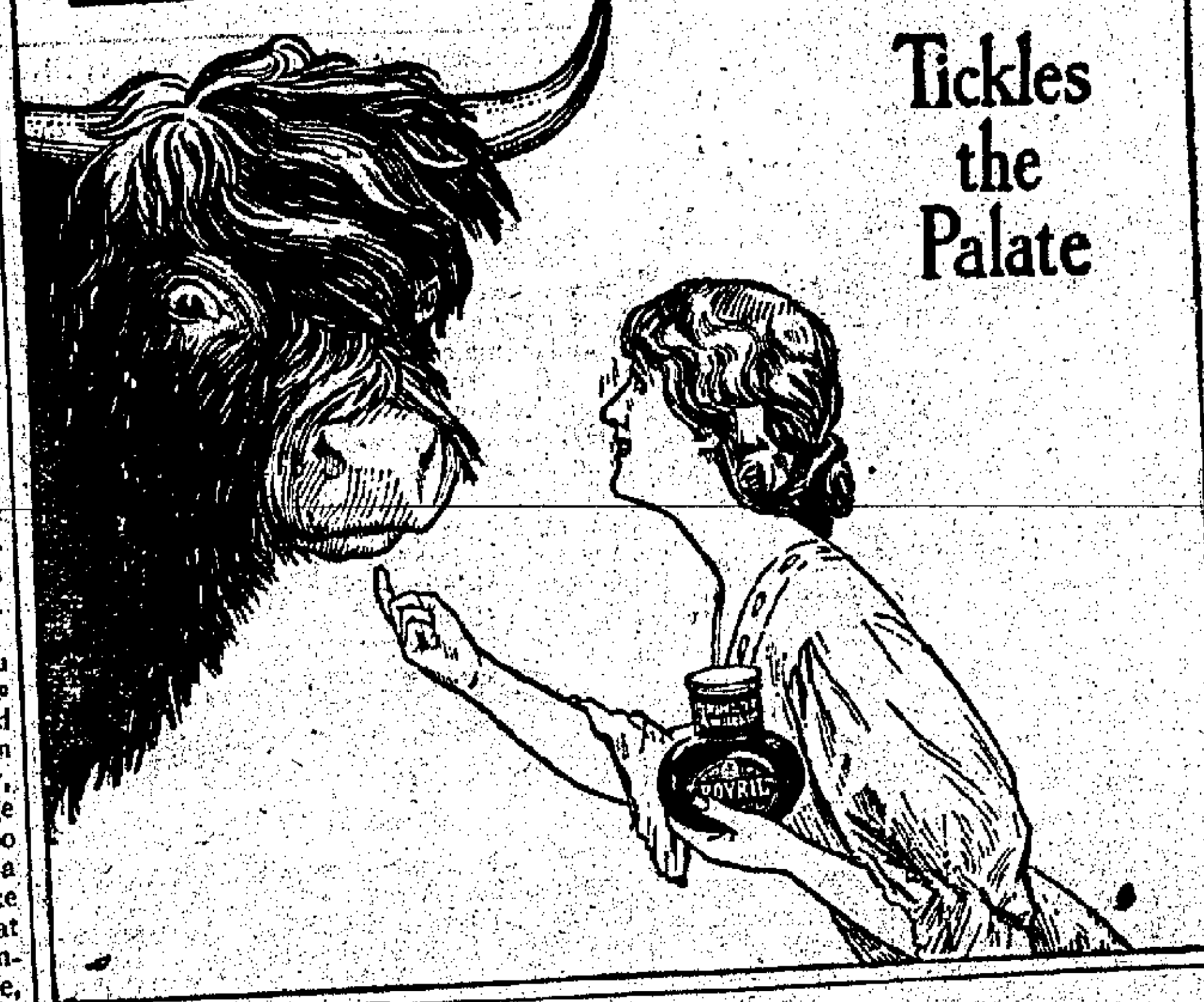
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FASHIONS AND FANCIES.

An era of sartorial grandeur seems dawning for our evening gaities. Would that the festivities in prospect were worthy of the compliment! The absence of the King and Queen has been responsible for a general slump in the hospitality of the winter season, which, in spite of the social compression in the form of weddings and dances that invariably takes place before an early Lent, is unlikely to be lifted before Easter. We must pin our faith, instead, to the coming spring season, when we are promised festivities vying with those of last year that made the Coronation time so memorable.

THE NEW BROCADES. A contrast to the ever popular magpie colourings, daring in execution and design, are the regal brocades that the great houses are endeavouring to bring to the favourable notice of their customers. These arrivals, as sumptuous, surely, as any that graced the historic Field of the Cloth of Gold, are already “catching on,” and a brilliant future is predicted for them. The cachet is given them by Paris, but in many instances, the brocades are of British manufacture, and will reach their apotheosis wedded to the traditional stateliness of the Englishwoman's figure. These dresses must be rigidly tabooed by small women unless they wish to be suspected of masquerading in medieval fancy dress, or looking as if they had tried to drape themselves in some wonderful tapestried curtains! The entire gown is sometimes in this gorgeous fabric. The smartest are those that, ending in a bib form back and front above the heightened waist-line, show an abbreviated bodice of draped gold or silver lace, built up in the fashionable one-sided style. The other shoulder is usually made of ninon drawn quite severely plain over a lining that reflects the predominating tints of the brocade fabric.

DRAPE SKIRTS. Brocades need to be treated by a master-hand or they are apt to look bunched and heavy. This, combined with their prohibitive price, prevents their imitation by the masses, and correspondingly increases their chances of modish success. The skirts are often cunningly draped across the figure, the folds starting from above the waist-line, looking in their sculptured grace as if they had just been laid there by an expert touch. This drapery detracts from the now old, tight look without interfering with the simple, classic lines of the figure. The front of the skirt consists of a wide panel of ninon or lace, across which a portion of the material is draped; to be fastened beneath a cocarde of embroidery low down at one side. The tunic fashion is occasionally utilised in this connection, wonderful embroidered over-dresses, open in front and bordered with gleaming fringe, softening the almost glaring magnificence of these boldly-patterned fabrics.

THE FASHION IN TRAINS. All evening gowns with any pretensions to smartness are provided with trains. The “wisp” train can scarcely be termed a novelty, yet every other dress seems designed to end in this quaint, infinitesimal point. Sometimes, a double point marks the tail of the gown, as in the case of Miss Constance Drever's Wedgewood blue brocade, one of the most beautiful of the sensational frocks worn by this popular actress in “The Nightbirds.” The latest version of this mode is the “fichu” train. Two scarves of fine lace are draped fichu-wise round the décolletage, crossed over at the centre back to fall in graceful fashion to the ground in two long floating ends. Another form of this mode is the ribbon train that makes a pretty decoration to a short frock. The wide ribbon sash ends fall to the ground from beneath a butterfly bow attached to the back of the corsage. These appendages are heavily weighted with tubular jewelled fringe, indolent, gold, or silver as may best suit the gown in question, twist and twirl behind the wearer as she walks, with fascinating snake-like motion.

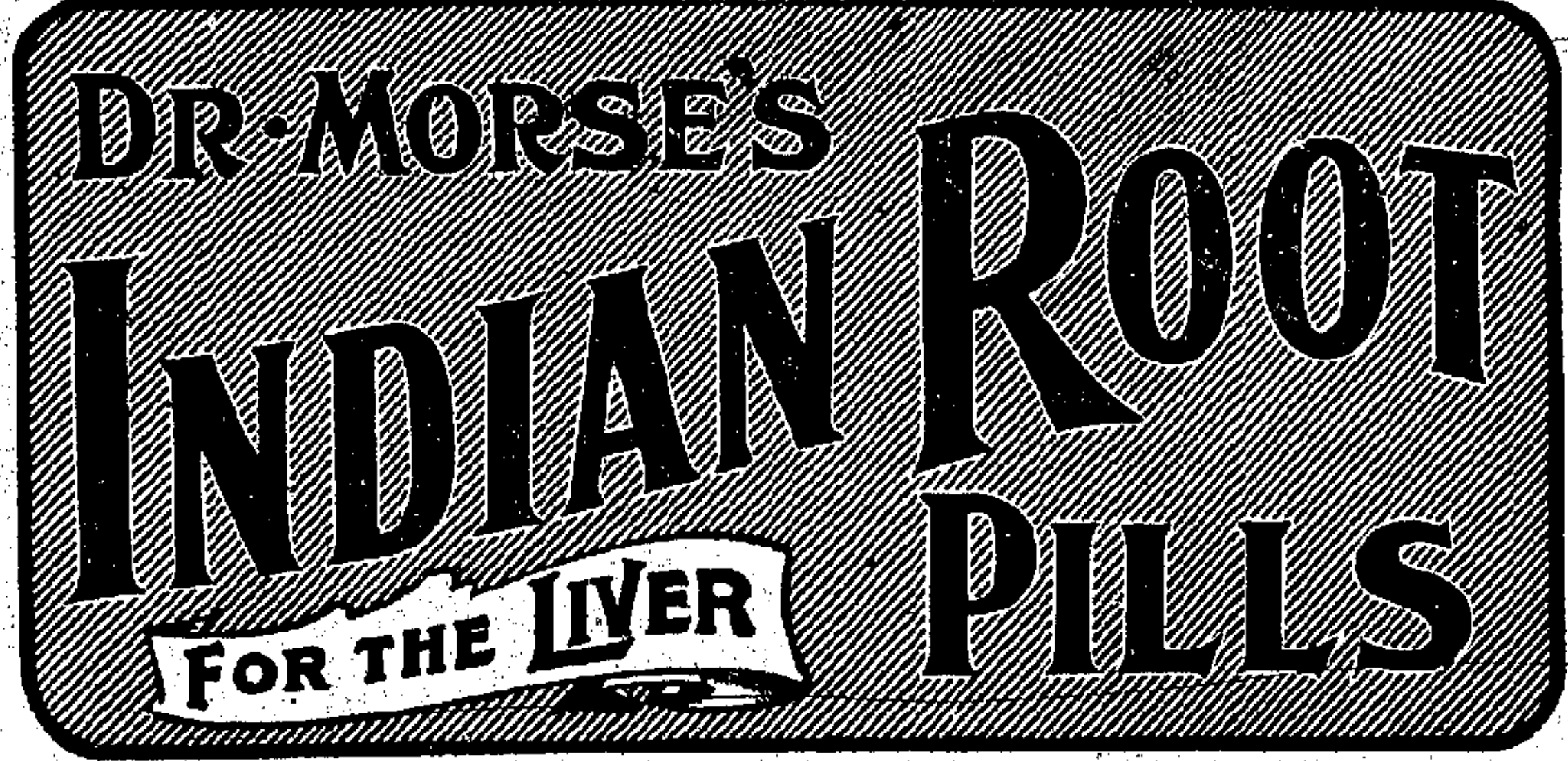
A BECOMING DEMI-TOILETTE. The problem of evening-dress has always been difficult of attack for those endowed by nature with scrappy shoulders, or whose necks no longer show the graceful curves and outlines of early youth. Such women will find the dress worn by Mlle. Marnac in the new “Revue Sans-Gêne” at the Théâtre Réjane, well worthy of their imitation. It is carried out in the palest rose coloured crepe-de-Chine heavily embroidered on the hips and corsage; bordered on the skirt and train with silver tubular beads. The dress opens over a panel of black tulle posed on a foundation of rose pink, the tulle prettily embroidered and fringed with silver. The décolletage is entirely filled in with black net, lightly draped over the arms to form sleeves. Angularities are softened, and the dress rendered additionally smart by the net being drawn at the base of the throat into a high, shaped, boned collar of black velvet that reaches to the ears. The dress fastens at the left side beneath an enormous knot of black tulle caught by a handsome paste ornament. Should this method of veiling the décolletage be insufficient to conceal defects, the black tulle or net can be mounted over flesh pink chiffon, or still more substantial, flesh-pink chiffon over which a foundation of white chiffon and then black tulle is superimposed.

THE LATEST EVENING CLOAKS. All the fertility of invention of the furrier's art seems lavished on the sumptuous evening cloaks that now hold the field. One, composed entirely of ermine cut in the fashionable deep point at the back, has the sleeves and collar and even the border of the train bordered with rich skunk! This cloak is lined throughout with shell pink satin veiled in gossamer white mousseline. A novel feature of this superb garment is a wide jabot of rare old Venetian lace that falls in long pleated folds down the back of the coat from beneath the skunk collar, the borders of the jabot outlined with the narrowest edging of skunk fur. Another cloak in supplest white broché velvet veiled with white silk mousseline has, as the latest whim of la mode, a triple border of zibeline skins and a wide fichu crossover collar to the coat. In gazing at a third, built of white broché powdered with compeador wreaths, one lost all trace of the original foundation in wonderment at the deep border of black velvet headed by a broad band of priceless chinchilla that formed its skirts. A huge cape collar of the same fur, cuffs that were the size of fashionable muffs in themselves, elevated this evening wrap from a merely pretty confection to one of almost regal splendour. Some of the most beautiful cloaks are really barbaric in design and colouring. Mention should be made of the fashionable evening coats of magnificent brocades with collar and border of skunk, above which is inserted a deep

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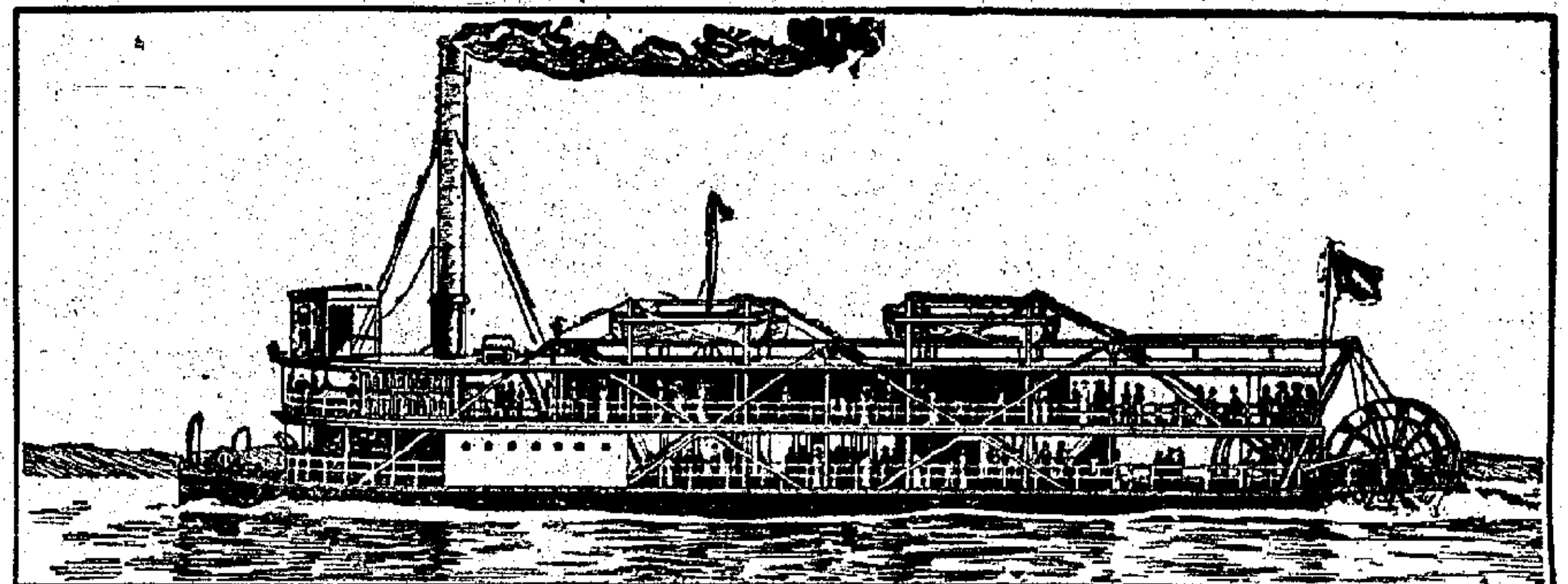
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	MISHIMA MARU Capt. A. E. Moses	9,000	WED'DAY, 27th Mar., at D'light.
VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, and YOKOHAMA	TAMBA MARU Capt. K. Noda	7,000	TUESDAY, 26th Mar., at Noon.
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SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE and BRISBANE	NIKKO MARU Capt. M. Yagi	6,000	FRIDAY, 15th March, at Noon.
	KUMANO MARU Capt. M. Winckler	6,000	FRIDAY, 12th April, at Noon.
BOMBAY via SINGAPORE, and COLOMBO	CEYLON MARU Capt. Tozawa	6,000	MONDAY, 4th March.
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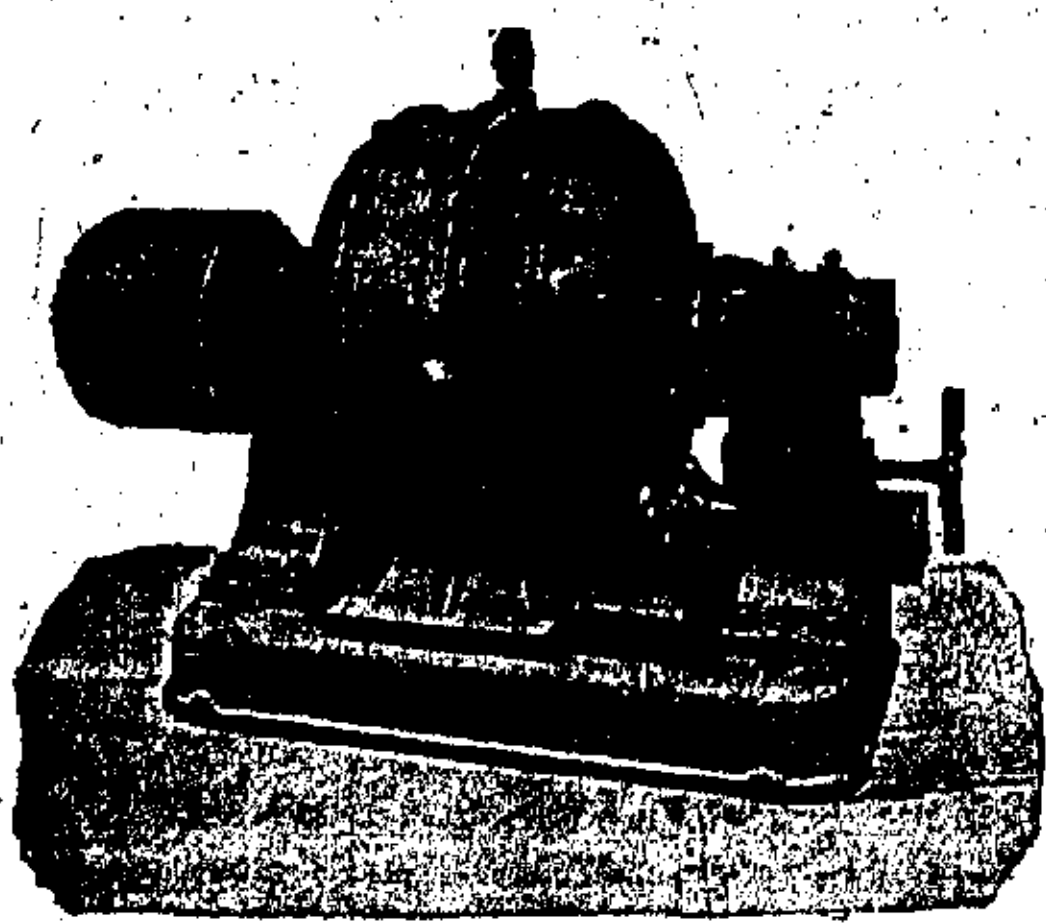
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Manila, Cebu, Iloilo, Timor, Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cucktown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart, Luncheon, New Zealand, Dunedin, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth and Fremantle	Eastern	Saturday, 2nd, 9.00 A.M.
Kingpo	Foochow	Saturday, 2nd, 10.00 A.M.
Europe, &c., India via Tutoorin, Late Letters 11.00 A.M. to Noon, Extra Postage 10 cents, (Supplementary mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail Extra Postage 10 cents), (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail)	Assaye	Registration, Kowloon B.O. at 9.30 A.M. No late fee 11.00 A.M.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Loongsang	Saturday, 2nd, 1.00 P.M.
Macao	Sui Tai	Saturday, 2nd, 1.15 P.M.
Tientsin	Chongching	Saturday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
Pakhoi and Haiphong	Huachow	Saturday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
Wahaiwei, Chafoo and Tientsin	Anhui	Saturday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai	Wongkoi	Sunday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
Saigon	Saigon	Saturday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
Amoy, Straits and Rangoon	Choyang	Saturday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai		Saturday, 2nd, 5.00 P.M.
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU and SAN FRANCISCO, SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUROPE	Mongolia	Registration, Kowloon B.O. at 4.00 P.M. No late fee 6.00 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Sunday, 3rd, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Tamsui	Dayin Maru	Sunday, 3rd, 9.00 A.M.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Bigal	Monday, 4th, 11.00 A.M.
Macao	Sui Tai	Monday, 4th, 1.15 P.M.
Hoihow and Haiphong	Singap	Tuesday, 5th, 9.00 A.M.
Taking Mails for Pakhoi	Raimun	Tuesday, 5th, 10.00 A.M.
Swatow		Tuesday, 5th, Noon
Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria and Tamsui	Mexico Maru	Tuesday, 5th, Noon
SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUROPE	Catherine Appear	Tuesday, 5th, Noon
Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta		Tuesday, 5th, Noon
MANILA, CEBU, ILOILO, EUROPE, &c., INDIA via Tutoorin, (Late Letters 11.00 A.M. to 11.30 A.M., Extra Postage 10 cents), (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail)	P. E. Friedrich	Registration, Kowloon B.O. at 9.30 A.M. No late fee 11.00 A.M.
Manila, Cebu and Iloilo	Toan	Tuesday, 5th, 11.00 A.M.
Shanghai	Kashing	Tuesday, 5th, 3.00 P.M.
Swatow and Singapore	Deravongse	Tuesday, 5th, 5.00 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Thursday, 7th, 10.00 A.M.
Shanghai, Kobe and Moji	Foochang	Thursday, 7th, 11.00 A.M.
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU and SAN FRANCISCO, SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUROPE	Nippon Maru	Registration, Kowloon B.O. at 9.30 A.M. No late fee 11.00 A.M.
Singapore, Penang and Calcutta	Katsing	Saturday, 9th, 11.00 A.M.
EUROPE, &c., INDIA via Tutoorin, (Late Letters 11.00 A.M. to Noon), Extra Postage 10 cents, (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail)	Dumben	Registration, Kowloon B.O. at 9.30 A.M. No late fee 11.00 A.M.

COMMERCIAL

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

March 1st.

ON LONDON:—		
Telegraphic Transfer	171 1/2	
Bank Bills, on demand	171 1/2	
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	171 1/2	
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight	171 1/2	
Credits, at 4 months' sight	171 1/2	
Documentary Bills 4 months' sight	171 1/2	
ON PARIS:—		
Bank Bills, on demand	244	
Credits, at 4 months' sight	248 1/2	
ON GERMANY:—		
On demand	198	
ON NEW YORK:—		
Bank Bills, on demand	47	
Credits, at 60 days' sight	48	
ON BOMBAY:—		
Telegraphic Transfer	143 1/2	
Bank, on demand	143 1/2	
ON CALCUTTA:—		
Telegraphic Transfer	143 1/2	
Bank, on demand	143 1/2	
ON SHANGHAI:—		
Bank, at sight	72 1/2	
Private, 30 days' sight	73 1/2	
ON YOKOHAMA:—	On demand	94
ON MANILA:—	On demand—Pesos	94 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—	On demand	82 1/2
ON BATAVIA:—	On demand	115 1/2
ON HAIPHONG:—	On demand	7 p.m.
ON SAIGON:—	On demand	80 1/2
ON BANGKOK:—	On demand	80 1/2
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate		\$10.30
GOLD LEAF, 100 fine, per tael		\$54.40
BANK SILVER, per oz.		27

SUBSIDIARY COINS.

Chinese	20 cents piece	\$7.05 discount.
Chinese	10 " "	\$7.12 " "
Hongkong	20 " "	\$7.13 " "
Hongkong	10 " "	\$7.64 " "

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS, HONGKONG, MARCH 1ST, 1912.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALU.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTATIONS CASE.
BANKS.				
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	120,000	\$125	all	\$855, sales (x.d. L'don £85.5/-, 99 1/2 buyers)
China Borneo Company, Limited	60,000	\$12	all	\$1.40
China Light and Power Company, Limited	50,000	\$5	all	\$7 1/2
China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$10	all	
COTTON MILLS.				
Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 92
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	125,000	\$10	all	\$5, buyers
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$7 1/2	all	\$20 1/2, buyers
DOCKS AND WHARVES.				
Hongkong & Wharves Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$50	all	\$53 1/2, buyers
Hongkong & Wharves Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$50	all	\$44, sales
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	10,000	\$6 1/2	all	\$7, buyers
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 57
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	36,000	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 90
GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LIMITED	400,000	\$10	all	\$4, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$20 1/2, buyers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	12,000	\$50	all	\$109
MASSIA METROPOLIS HOTEL LIMITED	15,000	\$50	all	\$70
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	50,000	\$25	all	\$188, x. div.
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$10	all	\$190, x. div.
H'kong & South China Steam Fisheries Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$17 1/2, buyers
INSURANCES.				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$195, sellers
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	\$20	\$130, buyers
China Traders Insurance Co., Limited	24,000	\$35.33	\$25	\$108.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited	8,000	\$250	\$50	\$550.
North-China Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$100	\$100	Tls. 150, sellers
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,400	\$250	\$100	\$850, buyers
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited	12,000	\$100	\$50	\$212 1/2, Ex 73
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$100	all	\$99 1/2, buyers
Humphreys Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	150,000	\$10	all	\$63, buyers
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	6,000	\$50	\$5	\$33
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Limited	78,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 88
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	\$50	all	\$51, buyers
Maatshappij tot Nijver, Bosch-en Landbouw exploitatie in Langkat	25,000	Gda. 10	all	Tls. 75
Mining.				
Chinese Engineering and M. Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	\$1	all	38/-, sales
Tronoh Mines, Limited	160,000	\$1	all	72/-
Harwood-Tin and Rubber Estate, Ltd.	715,280	\$1	all	5/-, sellers
Ramb Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	20,000	\$10	all	\$4, buyers
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$11 1/2, buyers
Philippine Co., Limited	75,000	\$10	all	\$5, buyers
REFINERIES.				
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	all	\$107, buyers
Lunson Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	\$100	all	\$34
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.				
China and Manila Steamship Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$25	all	\$103, buyers
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	\$25	all	\$253, buyers
Hongkong, Canton & Amoy S.S. Co., Ltd.	30,000	\$25	all	\$62 1/2, L'don.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60,000 pref.	\$25	all	\$62 1/2, L'don.
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited	60,000 ord.	\$1	all	\$25, 17 1/2 p.c.
Star Ferry Company, Limited	250,000	\$1	all	9 1/2
South China Moulding Post, Limited	10,000	\$10	all	\$17 1/2
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	6,000	\$25	all	\$21, buyers
STORES AND DISPENSARIES.				
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	\$10	all	\$25, buyers
Wm. Powell, Limited	15,000	\$7	all	\$5, buyers
Watkins, Limited	10,000	\$10	all	\$5, sales
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	90,000	\$10	all	\$5, buyers
Weissenau, Limited	3,000	\$10	all	\$15, buyers
Gande Price & Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$10	all	\$12, buyers
Societe des Pulpes et Papeteries du Tonkin	13,200	\$50	all	\$40
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	9,930 ord.	\$10	all	\$10.
Union Waterboat Co., Limited	100 shares	\$10	all	\$30.
Union Waterboat Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$7 1/2

RUSSIAN.	Daily Wire	4 1/2 per lb., quiet
Para Rubber in London	Amount	Value
Chinese Imperial 1886	Tls. 767,200	Tls. 250 / 7% p. annum
		Par.
		VERNON & SYMTH, Share Brokers.

TO-DAY	MAILS VIA SIBERIA.
10.30 A.M. to 3 P.M.—Flower Show of Hongkong Horticultural Society at Vasant Ground opposite Hongkong Club	London
12.30 P.M.—Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd.	February 10th.
8 P.M.—Fourth Annual Dinner of Kowloon Cricket Club at King Edward Hotel.	February 14th.
	Due Shanghai
	February 27th.
	March 1st.

OPIMUM.	February 29th.
Quotations are:—	
Malwa New	\$3,425/3,450 per picul.
Malwa Old	\$3,475/3,500
Malwa Older	\$3,525/3,550
Malwa V. Old	\$3,575/3,600
Perian fine quality	\$1,800
Perian extra fine	\$2,750
Patna New	\$3,900
Patna Old	\$3,800
Bonares New	\$3,900
Bonares Old	\$3,800

FORTHCOMING EVENTS.	February 29th.
Monday, 4th March—Auction of Crown Land at Mee Lan Street, by Public Works Dept., 3 P.M.	
Monday, 4th March—Annual General Meeting of Hongkong Gymkhana Club at the Office of the Hongkong Jockey Club, 5.15 P.M.	
Monday, 4th March—E.M.S. "Soharabhorst" Concert in the Theatre Royal, 9 P.M.	
Wednesday, 6th March—Auction of Naval Stores at H.M. Naval Yard, 10 A.M.	
Thursday, 7th March—Forty-Third Meeting of China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., Noon.	
Saturday, 9th March—Twenty-Fifth Ordinary Annual Meeting of Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., 12.30 P.M.	
Wednesday, 13th March—Forty-Third Ordinary Meeting of Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., Noon.	

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.	The Austrian Lloyd's str. Africa left Singapore for this port on the 1st inst. and will arrive here on the 5th inst., at 9 a.m.
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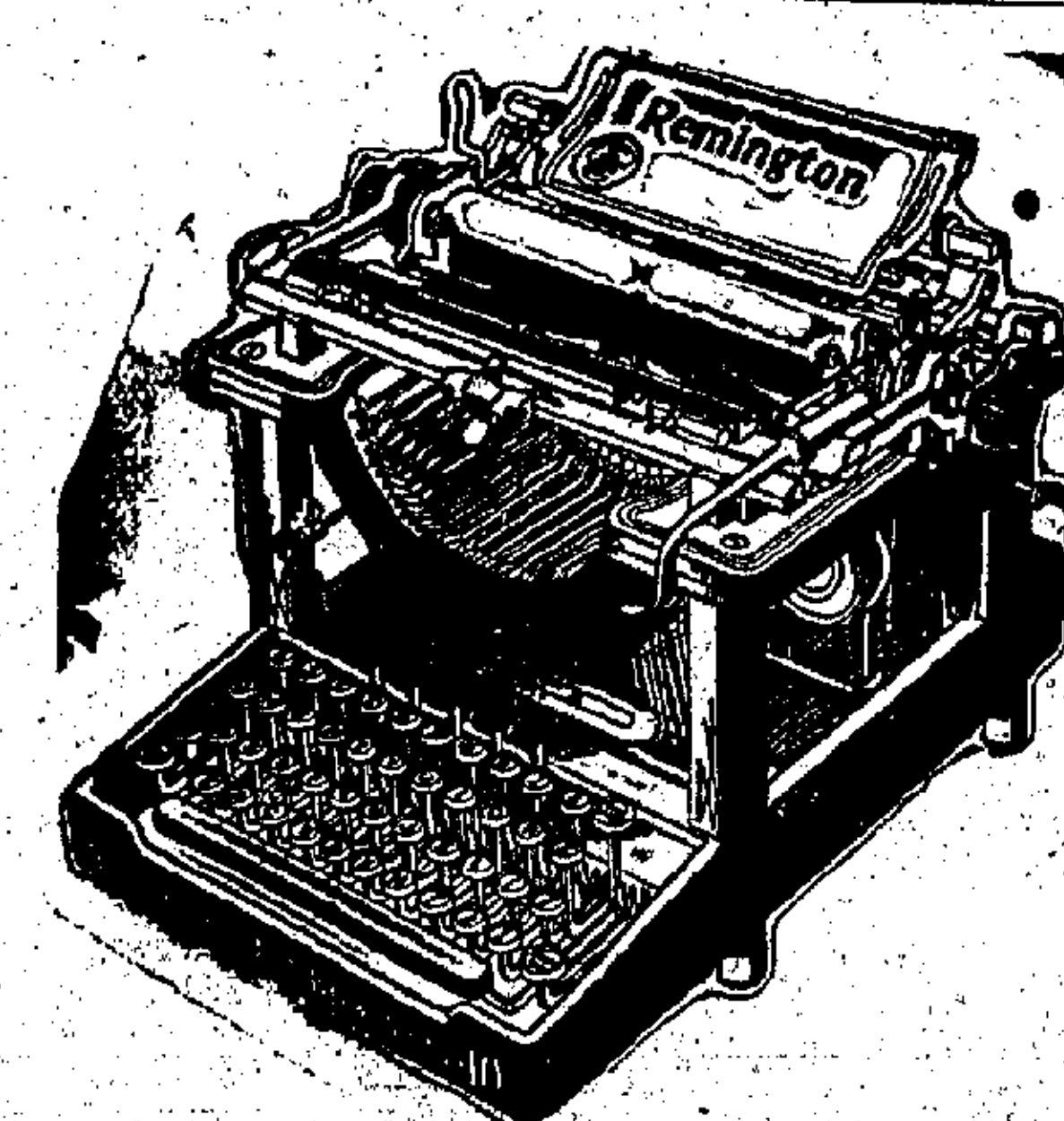
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